

# On the Green

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## AMONG OURSELVES

Bob Werner interpreted for Tricia Nixon Cox at the Fourth Annual Outstanding Federal Handicapped Employees Awards Luncheon on April 6....It appears that Tom Riddell may have some keen gardening competition. James Pickett was observed last Wednesday planting lily seeds outside of the Thornberry Hearing and Speech Center....Dwight Walden and Robert Lowe have recently joined the staffs at the physical plant and purchasing, respectively.

## "GYMNASTICS AMONGST THE STARS"

The Gallaudet College Gymnastic Troupe will present "Gymnastics Amongst the Stars" on Friday and Saturday, April 14 and 15 at 8:00 p.m. in the Hughes Gymnasium. Admission is 50¢.

## COMING SPORTS EVENTS

4/12/72

---Baseball and Tennis: St. Mary's College at Gallaudet, 1:00 p.m.

4/15/72

---Baseball and Tennis: Bridgewater College at Gallaudet, 1:00 p.m.

4/16/72

---Baseball and Tennis: Bowie State College at Bowie, Maryland, 1:00 p.m.

4/18/72

---Track: St. Mary's College at Gallaudet, 3:00 p.m.

---4/19/72

---Baseball: American University at American University, 3:00 p.m.

## REMINDER: THE ODD COUPLE

The Odd Couple, Hughes Memorial Theatre's spring production, will

be held in the auditorium on Friday and Saturday, April 14 and 15 at 8:00 p.m. and on Sunday, April 16 at 2:00 p.m.

For ticket reservations, call Penny Renner at 6511 or TTY 6477.

## WHAT'S UP AT SENSORY COMMUNICATION LAB

---James Pickett has been appointed associate editor, for the area of speech science, of a new professional journal published by the A.G. Bell Association, The Volta Quarterly.

---Roy Gengel is working on a research project to improve the use of hearing aids. Students use special laboratory hearing aids and attempt to identify test words. The tonal balance of the hearing aid is adjusted for the best listening response over a long learning period.

---Anna Nabelek has been using a sound treated classroom in Kendall School to determine the relationship between reverberation characteristics and the use of hearing aids.

---A PDP-12 computer system designed by Fred Brandt and maintained and programmed by Fred and David Tilken has recently been installed to analyze the speech of deaf persons.

---Ellen Martin Danaher is carrying out a research project to test the hearing capacities of deaf persons. The subjects listen to special speech-like sounds to find the smallest difference they can discriminate. This information is then related to how they hear actual syllables and words.



## AROUND AND ABOUT

The Graduate School Colloquium will feature Dr. Blair M. Webb on Friday, April 14 at 3:30 p.m. in room 213 of Hall Memorial Building. Dr. Webb, assistant professor of Otolaryngology at George Washington University Hospital and chief of otology at Children's Hospital, will speak about corrective surgery for hearing losses....Linda Bove will make her third appearance on "Sesame Street", Tuesday, April 18.... Ed Carney will speak about his work with the Council of Organizations Serving the Deaf on Tuesday, April 18 at 7:30 p.m. in room 213 of Hall Memorial Building.... If you have been looking for a furnished oceanside cottage, Evelyn Wolstein has one to rent to you in Ocean City. Contact Evelyn at her home, 588-6990, or leave a message for her at MSSD.

## TV SCHEDULE

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---12:00 noon: Miss Gallaudet Pageant

---10:00 p.m.: Mannix

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---10:00 p.m.: Six Wives of Henry VIII,  
Anne of Cleves

4/17/72

---10:00 p.m.: Appointment with Destiny,  
The Crucifixion of Jesus

4/18/72

---12:00 noon: Appointment with Destiny,  
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---10:00 p.m.: Six Wives of Henry VIII,  
Catherine Howard

Reruns of captioned entertainment programs will be shown Monday through Thursday at 4:30 p.m.

## WHO SUBSCRIBES TO GALLAUDET TODAY?

Faculty 7

Faculty (Alumni)\* 102

Staff 8

Students\* 152

\*(through membership in the Gallaudet College Alumni Association)

We hope you are on the WHO'S WHO list. If not...\$3.00 can remedy that. You can subscribe at the Visitors Center.

## DID YOU KNOW?

---The House of Representatives passed the nation's first anti-noise pollution bill. Covering four sources of noise: construction equipment, transportation equipment, motors and engines, and electric and electronic equipment, the measure requires the Environmental Protection Agency to establish noise level standards and to enforce labeling of these products.

---The leading causes of deafness in children are genetics, complication of RH factor, prenatal rubella, and premature birth.

---If you save used hearing aid batteries, you can help fight the mercury pollution problem of our air and water. By keeping used batteries from our garbage dumps, an estimated 750,000 pounds of mercury could be recycled each year.

---The Child Development Laboratory of the Marie Katzenbach School for the Deaf is teaching older deaf girls how to relate to hearing preschool children in preparation for caring for their future families.

---Over 3,000 people have been given hearing tests in New York City by the New York League for the Hard of Hearing. The League will set up testing equipment for any agency, hospital, civic group, etc. that requests its services.

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